

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of:

MATHEW ET AL.

Serial No. Unknown

Filed: Herewith

For: METHOD OF MAKING FLUOROCARBON COATED
BRAIDED HOSE ASSEMBLIES

Attorney Docket No.: 0153.00084

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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Please preliminarily amend the above-captioned application prior
to examination on the merits. Please amend the application as follows:

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

Page 1, before the "BACKGROUND OF THE INVENTION", please
insert the following subparagraph: